CLAIMS

Having thus described our invention, what we claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent is:

1. A system for customizing a Web page by using at least one computer on which a browser for browsing a Web page runs, said system comprising the means for:

(1) requesting a Web page to be customized;

(2) receiving said requested Web page in which a program for customizing a page is embedded;

(3) displaying said received Web page by a browser;

(4) having said program display a control panel for a customizing operation; and

(5) customizing a Web page according to a customizing operation by a user using said control panel.

2. The system according to claim 1 wherein said means (1) for requesting a Web page is a means for requesting a page from a Web server via a server or for requesting a locally stored Web page.

3. The system according to claim 1 wherein said system further comprises the means for:

(6) storing data on a customizing operation.

4. The system according to claim 3 wherein said means (6) for storing data on a customizing operation is a means for storing said data on a server.

5.   The system according to claim 4 wherein said system further comprises the means for:

    (7)   having another computer request a Web page to be customized;

    (8)   having another computer receive said requested Web page in which a program for customizing a page is embedded;

    (9)   having another computer display said received Web page by a browser;

    (10) having said program display a control panel for a customizing operation; and

    (11) having said program, based on data of a customizing operation already performed on said Web page, reflect a customizing operation performed on said Web page on a browser.

6.   The system according to claim 5 wherein said system further comprises the means for:

    (12) from said another computer, further customizing a Web page according to a customizing operation by a user using said control panel.

7.   The system according to claim 1 wherein said program is described in a program not dependent on any operating system nor browser.

8.   The system according to claim 1 wherein said system comprises a means for immediately reflecting a result of a customizing operation on a browser.

9.   A method for customizing a Web page by using at least one computer on which a browser for

3   browsing a Web page runs, said method comprising the

4   steps of:

5   (1)   requesting a Web page to be customized;

6   (2)   receiving said requested Web page in which

7   a program for customizing a page is embedded;

8   (3)   displaying said received Web page by a

9   browser;

10   (4)   having said program display a control

11   panel for a customizing operation; and

12   (5)   customizing a Web page according to a

13   customizing operation by a user using said control panel.

1   10.   The method according to claim 9 wherein

2   the step (1) of requesting a Web page is a step of

3   requesting a page from a Web server via a server or of

4   requesting a locally stored Web page.

1   11.   The method according to claim 9 wherein

2   said method further comprises the step of:

3   (6)   storing data on a customizing operation.

1   12.   The method according to claim 11 wherein

2   the step (6) of storing data on a customizing operation

3   is a step of storing said data on a server.

1   13.   The method according to claim 12 wherein

2   said method further comprises the steps of:

3   (7)   having another computer request a Web page

4   to be customized;

5   (8)   having another computer receive said

6   requested Web page in which a program for customizing a

7   page is embedded;

8   (9) having another computer display said
9 received Web page by a browser;
10   (10) having said program display a control
11 panel for a customizing operation; and
12   (11) having said program, based on data of a
13 customizing operation already performed on said Web page,
14 reflect a customizing operation performed on said Web
15 page on a browser.

1   14. The method according to claim 13 wherein
2 said method further comprises the step of:
3   (12) from said another computer, further
4 customizing a Web page according to a customizing
5 operation by a user using said control panel.

1   15. The method according to claim 9 wherein
2 said program is described in a program not dependent on
3 any operating system nor browser.

1   16. A medium which comprises a program for
2 having a computer customize a Web page, said program
3 implementing the functions of:
4   (1) displaying a control panel for a
5 customizing operation for a Web page displayed on a
6 browser of a computer; and
7   (2) based on a customizing operation by a user
8 on said control panel, customizing a Web page.